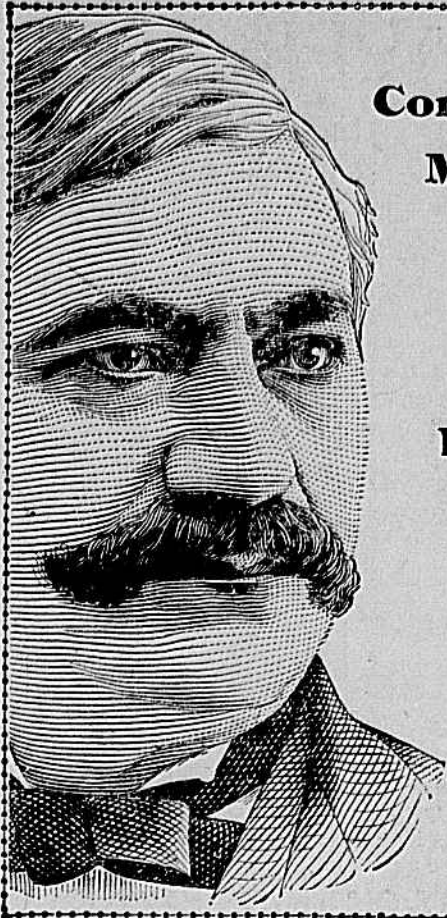


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## MONUMENT TO MR. DUKE TO BE UNVEILED IN JUNE

This Interesting Ceremony to Occur in Connection With the Commencement at Trinity College in June.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DURHAM, N. C., May 9.—The monument erected on the campus of Trinity College to the memory of Washington Duke will be unveiled in the forenoon of June 10th, being the closing day of the finals for the sessions of 1907-1908. It will be presented to Trinity College

by Mr. J. H. Southgate, of Durham, N. C., who for many years had been a close friend of Mr. Duke. It will be accepted on the part of the college by Dr. John C. Kilgo, president of the college.

The site of the monument is a beautiful one, and was selected on account of the interest taken by Mr. Duke in the welfare and progress of this institution of learning, he having donated to it a large sum of money.

The monument was made by Mr. Edward V. Valentine, of Richmond, and is considered by all who have seen it to be a remarkable piece of workmanship in the likeness to Mr. Duke. The funds were voluntary subscriptions, inasmuch as no one was asked to give, but an opportunity was offered them to do so. No relative of Mr. Duke was allowed to contribute. More than a sufficient amount for the erection of the monument was secured, enough being left after the payment of all expenses, to put the plat upon which the monument is erected in perpetual care. The sterling qualities of Mr. Duke, among them his great desire to help the less fortunate, prompted some of his admirers to get up this testimonial to him.

The inscriptions. Following are the inscriptions on the monument:

(Front)  
1820 WASHINGTON DUKE 1905  
Animated by lofty principles, he ever cherished the welfare of his country with the ardor of a true patriot; diligent in business, he acquired riches, but in the enjoyment of them did not forget to share with the less fortunate; a patron of learning, he fostered an institution which placed within the reach of aspiring youth the immortal gift of knowledge, and when the activities of his early life and the sterner struggles of his maturer years had passed, he entered upon a serene old age cheered by a lowly piety and sustained by an unfailing trust in God, who, in all the vicissitudes of life, had kept him single in his aims, sincere in his friendships and true to himself.

(Rear)  
"Friend to truth, of soul sincere.  
In action faithful, and in honor clear."

(One side)  
PHILANTHROPIST  
(One side)  
PATRIOT

## CLOSING OF ST. ALBANS.

Interesting Exercises Mark End of a Successful Session.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] RADFORD, VA., May 9.—St. Albans School closed Tuesday after a very successful and pleasant session. There will be no formal closing exercises, but the attractive program rendered by the Aeolian and Endymion Societies Thursday afternoon, at which the High School girls were the interested visitors, was in the nature of a final, and proved a very enjoyable occasion.

The following program was rendered: Welcome, by the principal, Rev. J. L. Einstein; recitation, Ritter Bright; song, "The Aeolian Society"; original poem, "The Endymion Society," by Tyler James, West Virginia; "Wit and Wisdom," by John Mundy; harp and guitar duet, Harman and Charlie Einstein; "News of the Week," Chester Copelan; original poem, "The Aeolian Society," Walter Roberts; chorus, by the two societies; "Questions and Answers," Fred Einstein and Thomas Jones; quartet, wind instruments, Gelsen, Garkling, Bond and Wilson; farewell address, Professor F. W. Alexander.

The addresses of both the principal and Professor Alexander were admirable, and the entire program was most creditably carried out and appreciated by the fair visitors, who, at the close of the exercises, were entertained in the parlors and on the campus until late in the afternoon.

## "THE MIRROR."

Delightfully Cool and a Place That Has Become Popular in Short Order.

"The Mirror," Richmond's new confectionery store, at No. 529 East Broad Street, is proving a great success. The house in which it holds forth was arranged internally after the fire that came its way some months ago, especially for the business that is now being conducted there. In addition to a first-class line of high-grade candies and other sweet things which the Mirror carries, there is a complete up-to-date ice-cream, soda and mineral water outfit. The parlors in which ices of all kinds are served are supplied with handsome furniture, and the dainty little tables, built for two, make the place especially attractive to the lovers of the cooling products of this most delightful place.

The location is right in the shopping district, and the wonder is that there has not been just such a charming little place there all the while.

## Cards Issued.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WILLIAMSBURG, VA., May 9.—Mrs. Adella Adelaide Churchill Braitwaite has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Virginia Bruce Braitwaite, to the Rev. Lefford Merle Haughton, of Poplar, Mexico, Wednesday, June 3d, at Bruton Church.

Miss Braitwaite is well known in social circles here, and the coming wedding is attracting no little attention.

## Wedding Invitations.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BEDFORD CITY, May 9.—Major and Mrs. Samuel Griffin have issued cards of invitation to the marriage of their youngest daughter, Sarah, to Mr. William Coats Cheney, a prominent business man and gentleman of culture and high social position of Connecticut. The nuptials are to be celebrated on the morning of Thursday, May 21st, at 9 o'clock at St. John's Episcopal Church. The bride elect is a young lady of

much beauty, charm of manner and in her short career of young ladyhood has been an acknowledged belle, very popular among her lady friends as well as gentlemen.

# Uncle Sam's Statement

There are forty-four (44) publications paying second-class postage through the Richmond Post-Office. The total amount paid for the month of April, 1908, was

## \$1,691.99

## HERE IS THE LIST

of publications entered at the Richmond Post-Office as second-class matter under the act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

The Times-Dispatch.  
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## DAILY.

The News Leader.  
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## WEEKLY.

The Central Presbyterian.  
The Christian Advocate.  
The Southern Churchman.  
The Religious Herald.  
The Reformer.  
The Planet.  
Richmond's Young Men.  
St. Luke's Herald.  
Virginia Anzeiger.

## TRI-MONTHLY.

Virginia Appeals.

## SEMI-MONTHLY.

The Children's Friend.  
Virginia Medical Semi-Monthly.

## MONTHLY.

The Christian Monthly.  
The Civic Sentinel.  
The College Messenger.  
The Earnest Worker.  
Foreign Mission Journal.  
The Guardian.  
Modern Farming.  
Pell's Notes.  
Push.  
Practice.  
Southern Clinic.  
Southern Planter.  
The Virginia Odd-Fellow.  
The Journal of Education.  
The Masonic Journal.  
Old Dominion Journal of Medicine.  
Richmond College Bulletin.

## QUARTERLY.

Kappa Alpha.  
The Agricultural Bulletin.  
The Colors.  
Medical College of Virginia Bulletin.  
The Presbyterian Quarterly.  
Sigma Pi.  
Union Seminary Magazine.  
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Virginia Historical Magazine.  
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Best City Meal, 22c peck, or per bushel, 50c  
Macaroni or Spaghetti, per pound, 7c  
Best Quality Canned Tomatoes, 6c  
Large, Juicy Lemons, per dozen, 12 1/2c

Quart Bottle Tomato Catsup, 10c  
Butter Biscuits, package, 4c  
Sweet Mixed Pickles, quart jars, 15c  
Light Brown Sugar, per pound, 5c  
New California Prunes, 4 lbs. for 25c  
3-Pound Jar of Preserves, 20c  
Breakfast Bacon, per pound, 12 1/2c  
Large Cans California Table Olives, 2 pounds, 15c  
Extra Quality 2 Pounds Fresh Roasted Laguyra Coffee for 25c  
Moulin Royal Butter, 2 pounds for 25c  
Seeded Raisins, per package, 10c  
New Dates, per pound, 5c  
New Canned Apples, per dozen, 5c  
Quaker or Mothers' Oats, package, 10c

Gold Medal Flour, 40c bag, or barrel, \$9.25  
2 bars Kitchen Soap for cleaning, 5c  
Duffy Malt Whiskey, 85c  
Large packages Postum, 50c  
Hand-Picked Beans, per quart, 9c  
Breakfast Bacon, per pound, 12 1/2c  
Large Cans California Table Olives, 2 pounds, 15c  
Extra Quality 2 Pounds Fresh Roasted Laguyra Coffee for 25c  
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Seeded Raisins, per package, 10c  
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New Canned Apples, per dozen, 5c  
Quaker or Mothers' Oats, package, 10c

Large Lamp  
Starch, per pound,  
4c

Canned  
Tomatoes  
6c

Sugar Corn  
4 for  
25c

Country Jowls, per  
pound  
7c

Half-Pound Cans  
Veal Loaf  
5c

Pure Cider Vin-  
egar, per gal.  
20c

Good Matches  
per dozen  
4c

## WOMEN'S CLUBS TO MEET THIS WEEK

Virginia Federation to Hold Its First Annual Convention in Bedford City.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BEDFORD CITY, May 9.—The first annual convention of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs will open its session Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the parish house of St. John's Episcopal Church with a meeting of the executive committee.

That evening there will be a large reception tendered by the Bedford Library Association, a member of the federation, and at whose invitation the convention is held at Bedford City. As agent of the Peaks of Otter Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Robert Burwell Claytor tendered her handsome home, on North Street, for this reception. The committee for this are Mrs. Nelson Sale, chairman; Mrs. R. B. Kelsey; Mrs. Walter Ruan, president of the Library Association, has been most zealous and energetic in developing plans for the successful conducting of the convention, and all arrangements are now perfected. The fair guests will be entertained at the homes of the members of the association and those other ladies, Mrs. J. W. Gish, chairman of the committee on homes, has arranged that they be met at the trains by their hostesses, and all confusion and embarrassment be avoided. Should the "long season in May" terminate, with its exquisite mountain scenery, attractive homes, lovely flowers, velvet turf and trees in the first verdure of spring, there is no more pleasant place could have been selected for the meeting of the convention. The following is the program of proceedings for the three days' exercises, as submitted by the president of the federation, Mrs. James R. Kyle, of Lynchburg:

Tuesday, May 12—4:30 P. M., meeting of the executive board; 8:30 in the evening, reception by the Library Association at the residence of Mrs. Robert B. Claytor.

Wednesday morning, May 13th—Formal opening of the convention, Mrs. J. R. Kyle presiding; music, "America," led by quartet; invocation by Rev. Dallas Tucker; music; address of welcome, by Mrs. Walter Ruan, president of the Library Association; response, Mrs. M. M. Caldwell, of the Civic Betterment Club, of Roanoke; greetings, Mrs. Emma Fox, of the General Federation of Women's Clubs; Mr. S. S. Lambeth, Jr., president of the Bedford Civic Improvement League; Mrs. R. B. Claytor, regent of the local chapter, D. A. R.; Mrs. Nelson Sale, in behalf of the W. R. Perry Chapter, U. D. C.; report of credentials committee; roll call of delegates; address by the State president, reports of federation officers, reports of clubs. Wednesday afternoon, committee meetings, parliamentary drill, by Mrs. Fox; reports of clubs. Wednesday evening, 8:30; Music; address, by Mrs. Fox; music.

Thursday—9:30, minutes; reports of standing committees; discussions; reports from general federation secretaries, Miss Lucy L. Davis; miscellaneous business; election of officers; reports of special committees; minutes. Thursday afternoon, 3:30; Meeting of board of directors. At 5 o'clock a tea will be tendered the convention by the ladies of the Thursday Club at the home of Mrs. O. C. Rucker. Thursday evening, at 8:30 o'clock there will be a public meeting in the interests of the Civic Improvement League, of Bedford, Mr. S. S. Lambeth presiding. Mrs. Fox will make an address, the subject of which will be "Have Women Any Civic Responsibilities?" Five-minute talks on practical problems will be given by delegates. The exercises will be interspersed with music.

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